

VATRELLA CLOSE TO DEATH'S DOOR

Man Who Was Shot by Frank Mazzer in a Very Critical Condition.

MAY DIE AT ANY MOMENT.

In Ante-Mortem Statement He Denies Offering Insult to Mrs. Mazzer—Assailant at Large.

The condition of Joseph Vatrella, the Italian who was shot Tuesday night by Frank Mazzer and who is at St. Mark's hospital, is critical, and little hope is entertained for his recovery. His condition permits an examination to be made by the physicians with the X-rays in the hope of locating the bullet.

Last evening Asst. County Atty. William Hanson, Clerk of the Court W. H. Lacey, and Sergeant Hempel went to the hospital for the purpose of taking Vatrella's ante-mortem statement.

VATRELLA'S STATEMENT.
Vatrella denied emphatically that he had offered insults to Mrs. Mazzer. He declared that the woman hated him, but for what reason he does not know. He said he spoke to her on the street a few days before the shooting and she replied: "You go to hell."

He said when Mazzer called him out, he was at supper, and supposed that Mazzer wanted to talk over some business affair. He said they had never had trouble before. When he stepped out of the house, Mazzer fired two shots. The second took effect, penetrating the left lung. It is believed by the physicians that the bullet has dropped into the intestines.

MAZZER STILL AT LARGE.
The police are doing their best to locate Mazzer. Descriptions of him have been sent out over the country in the hope of locating him. In the event of Vatrella's death, which is quite probable, a warrant charging Mazzer with murder will be issued. Mrs. Mazzer was released from custody last evening. She swore that she did not know where her husband was.

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GOV. FOLK COMING.

Distinguished Citizen Will be Here on Monday Next.

A telegram has been received by N. P. Nelson, private secretary to Gov. Culter, from the private secretary to Gov. Folk of Missouri, stating that the governor and his staff will arrive in this city on Monday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock en route to Portland. The party will only stop over here between trains and will leave Monday night at 11 o'clock. There will not be much of an opportunity to publicly entertain the distinguished visitors. It is probable, however, that a special organ recital will be arranged for the party. During his brief stay here, Gov. Folk will be the guest of his cousin, Walter R. Wingate.

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German Admitted to Citizenship to Save His Homestead.

Max Duben, formerly of Germany, but now a resident of Fort Bridger, Wyo., was admitted to citizenship yesterday afternoon by Judge Lewis. Duben was not very well posted on the history and government of this country, but he prevailed upon the court to admit him so that he could make final proof upon his homestead near Fort Bridger on Sept. 19. Hon. Angus M. Cannon and M. F. Eakin were witnesses for Duben, and the former told the court that the man was of good, steady habits, and had lived on his homestead for his family for seven years, but would lose it unless he was admitted to citizenship in time to make final proof on the date mentioned. Judge Lewis admitted Duben after exacting a promise from him that he would at once study up on the history of the United States and its form of government.

Beautiful Women.

Plump cheeks, flushed with the soft glow of health and a pure complexion, these are the beautiful traits that make a woman beautiful. Take a small dose of Berberine after each meal. It will prevent constipation and help digest what you eat. Mrs. Wm. M. Stroud, Midland, Texas, writes, May 3, 1904: "We have used Berberine in our family for many years, and found it the best medicine ever used for constipation, bilious fever and malaria." Sold by Z. C. M. I. Drug Dept.

DAIRYMEN'S CONVENTION.

Will be Held in This City During Time of State Fair.

The Utah State Dairymen will hold their annual convention this year during the state fair. Butter and cheese exhibits will be scored by Oscar Ert of Kansas, who will also give an address.

A letter to members of the association from the secretary gives complete details for the convention. Its text follows:

The Utah Dairymen's convention is to be held this fall in Salt Lake City in connection with the state fair, Oct. 2 to 7 inclusive. The meetings will be held in the old secretary's office near the grand stand. Prof. Oscar Ert of Kansas will score the butter and cheese and give an address. The meetings will be held Oct. 2 and 4 at 8 p. m.

TEA

What is cheating?

Hard to say.

What is not-cheating?

Moneyback.

Your grocery returns your money if you don't like Borden's Best.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY.

(DO YOU REMEMBER?)

In the international yacht race off Sandy Hook, the Puritan fouled the Genesta and carried away her bowsprit.

A very destructive cyclone passed over portions of Ohio.

Ex-Mayor William Jennings was seriously ill at his home in Salt Lake.

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY.

A woman arrived at San Bernardino, having crossed the desert on a break-beam.

A dynamite explosion at Specht's Ferry, Minn., caused the death of five persons.

FIVE YEARS AGO TODAY.

Gen. Ian Hamilton succeeded in turning the Boers' right flank, clearing the way for Buller's advance.

A tropical cyclone struck the city of Galveston, Texas, causing the sea to rush beyond its bounds. Nearly 10,000 persons lost their lives.

One meeting will be addressed by Prof. Ert and the other by members and officers of the association. You are urged to be present and to ask questions, as all lectures given and topics discussed will be along dairy lines. Bring in your butter and cheese, learn wherein it is lacking and how to improve its quality. Prizes on butter and cheese, consisting of \$125 cash, two gold medals and two diplomas. For \$1.50 you can enter all of your products, and will receive an exhibitor's ticket, which will admit you to the fair grounds once each day during the week. Reduced rates will be given on all railroads. Please notify me of your intention to exhibit and to attend the lectures. Very truly yours, "H. W. CLARK, Secretary."

Just drop in and see the new china store, Davies & Co., 30 South Main. The newest designs and shapes in chinaware, glassware, cut glass, Japanese goods, Russian bronzes. Everything marked in plain figures.

Saltair Saturday night, continuous dancing, train 7:30, fare 50c.

PERSONALS.

Glen Miller will be home next Monday morning from his European tour.

Mrs. E. Chacovick, cashier of the Coronado Beach hotel, is at the Knutsford.

George A. Snow is at the Kenyon from Indiana, and will be in town several days.

H. N. Chase, proprietor of the Nadeau hotel at Los Angeles, is a guest at the Kenyon.

A. V. McCotter, representing the Bedford Woolen mills of New York, is a guest at the Kenyon.

C. W. Brega, one of the heaviest employment agents in the country, is at the Kenyon from Kansas City.

Irma C. Bateman of Bloomington, Ind., a local legislator and prominent citizen, is at the Cullen with his wife.

Harlow R. Grow has sufficiently recovered from an operation at the L. D. S. hospital to be removed to his home.

Internal Revenue Collector E. H. Callister, wife and son, returned last evening from Portland and California points.

Chief Justice Barth and two daughters have gone east, the Misses Barth to resume their musical studies at the New England conservatory in Boston.

Frank M. Raiff, special representative of the Western Securities company of San Francisco, and one of the best known insurance men of the west, is in the city.

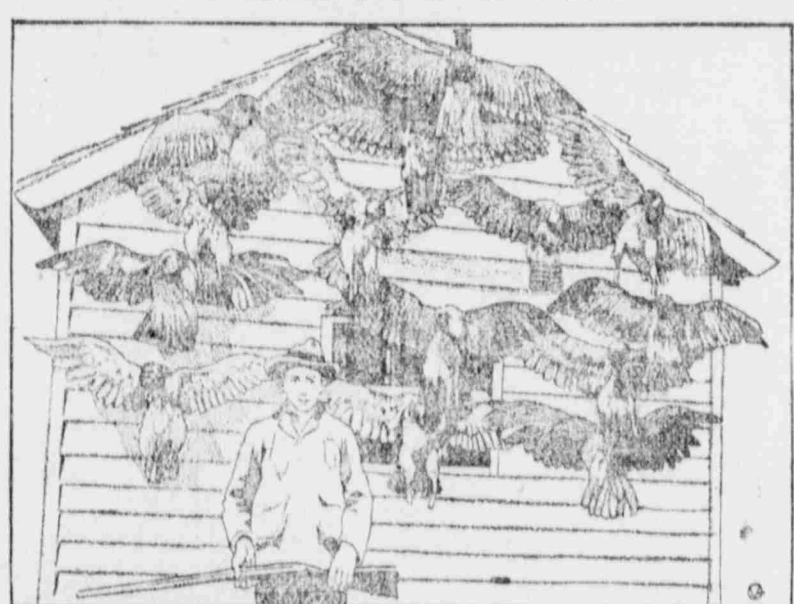
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Mills of Richmond, Ind., are visiting with the family of S. D. Evans of this city, en route east from a trip to the coast and the Yellowstone park.

John Hardy, an ex-Deputy U. S. marshal, and afterwards private secretary to Gov. Morrison of Idaho, is ill with typhoid fever at the home of his mother, No. 7 Fourth East street.

Joseph M. Howell, son of Representative Howell, who has been spending part of his vacation at home, has returned to New York, where he will begin his senior year in the Columbia school of mines.

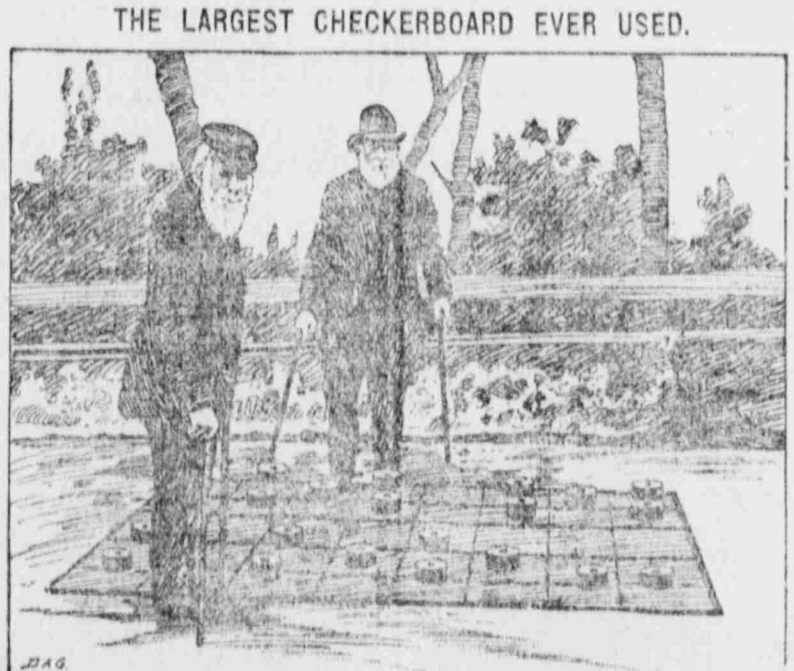
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hyman and party of New Orleans are at the Cullen. Mr. Hyman says he would prefer Yellow

ONE SEASON'S CROP OF HAWKS.



The cut herewith given, which was made from a photograph taken at Shiloh, N. J., tells eloquently of one of the difficulties which chicken farmers must encounter. In some parts of the country hawks are the worst enemies of the poultry yard, more destructive even than rats and weasels. Judging from the number of specimens displayed against the side of the poultry house in the picture, chicken raising must be a hazardous business in the vicinity of Shiloh.

THE LARGEST CHECKERBOARD EVER USED.



The cut shows the largest checkerboard ever put to actual use. It is at the end of the Wellington public park at Greenock, Scotland. The board is eight feet square. The checkers are made of iron and weigh sixteen pounds each. The board is well patronized by the workmen of the district, who have learned to manipulate the weights with much dexterity. The players are provided with iron rods with which the checkers are moved.

UTAH STUDENTS DO SUMMER WORK

Seventeen of Them Have Made Records at the University Of Chicago

SEVERAL RECEIVE DEGREES.

Who They Are and What Their Specialties Are—Prof. Meakin Delivers An Interesting Address.

Special Correspondence.

Chicago, Sept. 5.—At the convocation of the University of Chicago summer quarter, held Friday last, three Utah men received degrees. Mr. N. T. Porter, Ph. D.; Mr. Joseph Peterson, S.B.; Mr. Gustave Anderson, S.B. This makes six men who have been graduated from this institution since last spring. Mr. Porter, who is professor of law in the University of Utah, is so well known that comment upon the character of his work is unnecessary. He received his master degree after having passed examination in the departments of law, history and sociology. Mr. Joseph Peterson received honorable mention for the excellence of his work. He intends to remain here at least two years more, doing work in the department of philosophy. Mr. Gustave Anderson will leave in a few days for Columbia university, where he will continue his work for several years. We have had in attendance here during the summer quarter 17 Utah students. Most of them are intending to remain during the year. Those who have already left us are: James Jardine, assistant in English in the Agricultural department; Logan, Utah; Ernest Hall, assistant in English in the S. university, Salt Lake City; Rosabel Hall, Marlow Porter and Frank Arnold. Mr. Henry Peterson and Mr. Gustave Jensen leave in a few days for Harvard.

Mr. Peterson has been attending the university for the past five quarters, and took his Ph. D. degree from here last spring. He expects to remain in Harvard for two years at least, and will continue his work in philosophy and education.

ADDRESS BY MEAKIN.

Prof. John P. Meakin of Salt Lake spoke in the L. D. S. church Sunday evening last. The professor was at his best in the subject, "Fraternity and Progress." His glowing tribute to Utah in general, and to the "Mormon" people in particular, was warmly received. Much enthusiasm and encouragement were given to the missionaries and Saints by the address. Prof. Meakin is one man at least with courage to utter his convictions, and is loud in his demands that Utah and her people be correctly understood. The professor is looking well and enjoying his trip immensely.

Continuous dancing, Saltair, Saturday night, train 7:30, fare 50c.

BARBERS SHOULD KNOW EVERYTHING.

"Did it ever occur to you," asked the educated barber, "how much a man who stands in a tonsorial establishment all day may learn? Now in this neighborhood there come here regularly gentlemen of refinement and culture. We cater to no other class. It keeps me busy reading to have enough topics on hand to talk about. The barber is not responsible for all the conversation in the shop. As a matter of fact, he does start the conversation in most cases. No, sir; I would not presume to engage a gentleman in conversation unless he first began it. The up-to-date barber must know all about the latest in shaving, hair cutting, and the customer says: 'Now what do you think of that—do you think the tall man with the red beard or the short man with the black moustache did the shooting?' The barber must be able to give a quick and intelligent answer. The operator at the next chair to me had an embarrassing experience just now. One of our best customers came in, and it was evident to me that he felt very strongly about revolution. The concerning society persons being black-mailed. My associate, I saw at a glance, was not in touch with the situation. I gave him a signal to say yes and he could make no mistake. So he started up assenting vigorously, saying that it was a shame and that the radicals should be brought to justice. He did it very well, and after we were alone I heartily congratulated him on his exploit. At the same time putting him on rapport with the situation. The gentleman who just went out knows all about automobiles, and the way I have been studying the inside of those vehicles required mental effort. It pays, too, for me to shave him at his house, and a barber who can talk discerningly about carburetors and spark plugs and such things is valuable as a conversational aid—and gets a liberal tip. Yes, sir, the modern barber is all things to all men. Every customer has something which he likes to talk about and he starts up the topic often to let loose his enthusiasm or to express his indignation. If the San Francisco men have lost and he feels that the situation with regard to the pennant is disgraceful, the baseball enthusiast finds in the barber an intelligent and appreciative listener to opinions about underlings and managers and ice wagons and bunches of errors.

"One of the favorite topics of conversation which engages the attention of the regular customer is the nationality of his barber. For that reason I always keep posted on everything pertaining to Italy, for although I was not born there I am so Italian in my appearance that the gentleman thinks that I only received my language from well versed now in Roman history, the beauties of Florence and the Italian school of music. That answers very well for at least three customers, one an Italian baker, another an architect and the third a German professor of music who is often pleased to tell how Wagner excels anything in the way of Italian opera ever produced.

"That young man who just went out is considered a neighborhood dancing academy. It is fortunate that I saved that clipping about the new waltzes. Anticipating that he would be in soon I read it with great care. I think it should be good for a shampoo, a facial massage and a toning treatment of the newest hair tonic.

"Barbers are good conversationalists because they have the pleasure of meeting so many men of education and culture. Every man has some subject in which he is especially well informed, and he is always glad to enlighten the barber. In that way, sir, this unpolished chair becomes a college, and the barber is a disinterested teacher. The pass of a razor may in itself comprehend a learned thesis. The humble shop becomes a university, a haircut is a caustic and a shampoo the equivalent to a

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FERILOUS SPORT.

Eagle hunting in the Alps is a perilous and exciting sport which is just now in season, and which is beginning to attract the attention of English as well as Swiss sportsmen. Telegraphs the Express (Geneva) correspondent.

During the past few days scores of plucky climbers have been trying to scale the almost inaccessible rocks on which the nests of the eagles are built, in the hope of capturing eaglets. In the Bernese Oberland their efforts have led to some savage encounters with the parent eagles, and to some wonderful escapes.

In the Engadine an English sportsman has captured a fine young eagle in the Val Chamuera. The nest was on the face of an almost unclimbable rock, protected from above by an overhanging cliff. After some perilous climbing the spot was at length reached from below, and after a severe tussle the young bird was captured, securely bound, and safely lowered. In the nest were the remains of a 50-pound chicken, and three marmos, besides a quantity of bones, feathers and fur. This is the twelfth eagle which this climber has already captured, and he declares that he is one of the most exciting that he knows.

At Entlebuch a mountaineer scaled a rocky peak, and has succeeded in securing two eagles when the parent birds attacked him with such violence that he fell from the rock and was badly injured. One of the old birds was, however, shot by a spectator. It measured over seven feet across the wings.

St Oberbergl two peasants secured a fine eagle while the parent birds were absent from the eyrie, by descending on a swinging rope 1,000 feet over the face of an overhanging precipice. In the nest were two of a lamb, a small pig, several large fowl and an enormous store of bones of birds and animals—London Express.

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